UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP Form SC 13G March 22, 2006

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION (Name of Issuer) Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value Per Share (Title of Class of Securities) 91307C102 (CUSIP Number) March 17, 2006 (Date of Event which Requires Filing

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

of this Statement)

[] Rule 13d-1(b)
[X] Rule 13d-1(c)
[] Rule 13d-1(d)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON				
	S.A.C. Capital Advisors, LLC				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]				
3	SEC USE ONLY				
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware				
	5 SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIAL: OWNED	0				
	6 SHARED VOTING POWER				
	238,074 (see Item 4)				
BY EACH	7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
REPORTING PERSON	0				
WITH	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	238,074 (see Item 4)				
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	238,074 (see Item 4)				
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES				
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)				
	1.0% (see Item 4)				
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*				
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON						
	S.A.C. Capital Management, LLC						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]						
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
	Delaware						
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER OF			0				
SHARES	T V	6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
BENEFICIALI OWNED	ГŢ		238,074 (see Item 4)				
BY EACH		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
REPORTING PERSON			0				
WITH		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
			238,074 (see Item 4)				
9	AGGREGATE A	MOUNT	BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH R	EPORTING	PERSON	1	
	238,074 (se	e Ite	n 4)				
10	CHECK BOX I	F THE	AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	EXCLUDES	CERTA	 [N S	HARES
11	11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)						
	1.0% (see Item 4)						
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*						
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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

	Sigma Capital Management, LLC				
2	CHECK THE APPROPR	IATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		(a) [] (b) [X]	
3	SEC USE ONLY				
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALI OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		SOLE VOTING POWER O SHARED VOTING POWER			
	LY	660,000 (see Item 4)			
		SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 0			
		SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 660,000 (see Item 4)			
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 660,000 (see Item 4)				
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES				
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 2.8% (see Item 4)				
12	TYPE OF REPORTING	PERSON*			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING	PERSON			

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

	Steven A. Cohen					
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) [X]					
3	SEC USE ONLY					
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION					
United States						
	5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIAL		0				
		SHARED VOTING POWER				
OWNED BY		1,323,074 (see Item 4)				
EACH	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
REPORTING PERSON		0				
WITH	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
		1,323,074 (see Item 4)				
9	9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 1,323,074 (see Item 4)					
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES					
	[]					
11	PERCENT OF CLASS	REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)				
	5.7% (see Item 4)					
12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*						
	IN					
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Item 1(a)	Name of Issuer:					
	United	Therapeutics Corporation				
Item 1(b)	(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:					

1110 Spring Street Silver Spring, MD 20910

Items 2(a) Name of Person Filing:

This statement is filed by: (i) S.A.C. Capital Advisors, LLC, ("SAC Capital Advisors") with respect to shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Shares") of the Issuer beneficially owned by S.A.C. Capital Associates, LLC ("SAC Capital Associates") and S.A.C. MultiQuant Fund, LLC ("SAC MultiQuant"); (ii) S.A.C. Capital Management, LLC, ("SAC Capital Management") with respect to Shares beneficially owned by SAC Capital Associates and SAC MultiQuant; (iii) CR Intrinsic Investors, LLC ("CR Intrinsic Investors") with respect to Shares beneficially owned by CR Intrinsic Investments, LLC ("CR Intrinsic Investments"); (iv) Sigma Capital Management, LLC ("Sigma Management") with respect to Shares beneficially owned by Sigma Capital Associates, LLC ("Sigma Capital Associates") and (v) Steven A. Cohen with respect to Shares beneficially owned by SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, SAC Capital Associates, SAC MultiQuant, Sigma Management and Sigma Capital Associates.

Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office:

The address of the principal business office of (i) SAC Capital Advisors, CR Intrinsic Investors and Mr. Cohen is 72 Cummings Point Road, Stamford, Connecticut 06902 and (ii) SAC Capital Management and Sigma Management is 540 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10022.

Item 2(c) Citizenship:

SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, CR Intrinsic Investors and Sigma Management are Delaware limited liability companies. Mr. Cohen is a United States citizen.

Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

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Item 3 Not Applicable

The percentages used herein are calculated based upon the Shares issued and outstanding as of February 21, 2006 as reported on the Issuer's annual report on Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by the Issuer for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005.

As of the close of business on March 21, 2006:

- 1. S.A.C. Capital Advisors, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 238,074
- (b) Percent of class: 1.0%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 238,074
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 238,074
- 2. S.A.C. Capital Management, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 238,074
- (b) Percent of class: 1.0%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 238,074
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 238,074
- 3. CR Intrinsic Investors, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 425,000
- (b) Percent of class: 1.8%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 425,000
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 425,000

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- 4. Sigma Capital Management, LLC
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 660,000
- (b) Percent of class: 2.8%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 660,000
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 660,000
- 5. Steven A. Cohen
- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,323,074
- (b) Percent of class: 5.7%
- (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,323,074
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,323,074

SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, CR Intrinsic Investors, Sigma Management and Mr. Cohen own directly no

Shares. Pursuant to investment agreements, each of SAC Capital Advisors and SAC Capital Management share all investment and voting power with respect to the securities held by SAC Capital Associates and SAC MultiQuant. Pursuant to an investment management agreement, CR Intrinsic Investors maintains investment and voting power with respect to the securities held by CR Intrinsic Investments. Pursuant to an investment management agreement, Sigma Management maintains investment and voting power with respect to the securities held by Sigma Capital Associates. Mr. Cohen controls each of SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, CR Intrinsic Investors and Sigma Management. CR Intrinsic Investments is a wholly owned subsidiary of SAC Capital Associates. By reason of the provisions of Rule 13d-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, each of (i) SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management and Mr. Cohen may be deemed to own beneficially 238,074 Shares (constituting approximately 1.0% of the Shares outstanding); (ii) CR Intrinsic Investors and Mr. Cohen may be deemed to own beneficially 425,000 Shares (constituting approximately 1.8% of the Shares outstanding) and (iii) Sigma Management and Mr. Cohen may be deemed to own beneficially 660,000 shares (constituting approximately 2.8% of the Shares outstanding). Each of SAC Capital Advisors, SAC Capital Management, CR Intrinsic Investors, Sigma Management and Mr. Cohen disclaim beneficial ownership of any of the securities covered by this statement, and SAC Capital Associates disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities held by CR Intrinsic Investments.

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Item 5	Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:
	If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following. []
Item 6	Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another
	Person:
	Not Applicable
Item 7	Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which
	Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent
	Holding Company:
	Not Applicable
Item 8	Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

Not Applicable

Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not Applicable

Item 10 Certification:

By signing below the signatory certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: March 22, 2006

S.A.C. CAPITAL ADVISORS, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person

S.A.C. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person

CR INTRINSIC INVESTORS, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum
Title: Authorized Person

SIGMA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum

Title: Authorized Person

STEVEN A. COHEN

By: /s/ Peter Nussbaum

Name: Peter Nussbaum Title: Authorized Person